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Local News Items

Monday is Christmas—Sure!

Saturday December 23rd, is the 106th anniversary of the Prophet Joseph Smith's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roth and family left this week for Utah.

Mr. Geo. W. Green, of Lethbridge, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. O. A. Woolley, of Magrath was in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Selman, left last week for Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Evans, are spending the Holidays in Utah.

Mr. W. Rose, of Grassy Lake, is visiting in town this week.

Mr. Ernest Bullock, of Welling, returned from a two year's mission to the Northern States, on Friday last.

Mr. W. McD. Tait left on Monday for Ontario where he will spend the Holidays with his parents.

To-morrow is the shortest day in the year.

BORN—On Friday, December 15th, to the wife of R. A. Gilles, a daughter.

Wouldn't it be nice if all the street lights were as bright as the stars on Christmas night?

On Monday, Dec. 25th, a Christmas program will be rendered at the meeting house at 2 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

Mr. Henry Holmes threshed 1000 bushels of wheat raised on 17 acres. This shows what can be done even in a bad season in the Raymond district.

Mrs. Fred Burton, of Cardston, was in town on Tuesday, visiting her brother Al. Rodeback, who returned this week from a mission to the southern states.

Owing to Mr. Geo. Brewerton being seriously ill, the drama "Rio Grande" will not be presented on Wednesday next, as Geo. has one of the most important parts. Watch for date.

FOUND—On Saturday 2nd on Broadway and 2nd South, a gentleman's watch. Owner may call and get same by calling at office and identifying it.

Principal Smith, of the Raymond Public School, left last week for Calgary, where, in the normal school, he will write on the work for first-class professional standing.

On Wednesday evening of last week a concert was given at the Oddfellows' Hall under the presbytery of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church. An excellent program was rendered, Mayor Young introducing the numbers in his usual witty manner. Miss Dorothy Young, Mrs. Leadbetter, and Mrs. Nilsson were heard in the vocal soloists, Miss Maud McCarty rendered a piano solo, Mr. W. S. Berryessa a cornet solo, while Mr. R. A. Gilles gave a character section on the guitar. Messrs Jackson and Smith, of the Bank of Montreal staff, were heard in the piano solo, and also in a piano and mandolin duet. On the whole, the program was very good and was much enjoyed by all present.

Rolling Mills for Medicine Hat.

Medicine Hat, Alta., Dec. 20th. A. J. Pollock, manager of the Rolling Mills Company of Winnipeg, and organizer of the Alberta Rolling Mills Company of Medicine Hat, states that the new company will employ about 60 men from the outset of operation, and that this number will likely be very largely increased in the near future. This concern was organized last year, the directors, including many well-known English and American investors, having been particularly impressed with the advantages of "The Hat" as an industrial location, and with the unusual possibilities for the use of gas in their giant furnaces. The company employs skilled labor almost entirely and has a correspondingly big pay roll. The local publicity committee is in correspondence with a long and promising list of prospects and a large number of these have now practically decided to locate here during the coming year.

Great Advantages.

Regina, Sask., Dec. 20th.—With a view to interesting investors, merchants and homeseekers in the opportunities now open for new enterprises in the great Saskatchewan, the Dominion of Trade Pacific Land Department is doing some extensive newspaper advertising, calling attention to some of the attractively located townsite properties along its right of way. The business openings in this territory, so it is stated, are such as should appeal to wholesalers and retailers; and specific mention is made of such lines of business as restaurants, hotels, general stores, lumber yards, barber shops, billiard and pool rooms, bowling allies, hardware stores, blacksmith shops, veterinary stables, etc. Local automobile circles are now looking forward to the auto exhibition to be held early in the coming year.

Raymond now has the use of three long-distance telephone lines to Lethbridge. The first message was sent over the new line on Tuesday night. Stirling, New Dayton, and Warner can now ring Lethbridge direct, and will not be inconvenienced by Magrath, Cardston and Spring Coulee using the same line. Cardston can also call Lethbridge direct and will not be troubled with Stirling, Warner and New Dayton ringing in. Raymond has a line all to itself, besides having access to the two others. On the new line three conversations can be carried on over four wires.

Applications will be received until Dec. 29th, 1911, for Town Auditor.

Anyone having accounts against the Town of Raymond must hand them to the sec-treas, on or before Dec. 28th, 1911.

Signed, F. T. Holt, Sec.-Treas.

POSITION WANTED: By man and wife for winter on farm or ranch, taking care of stock and looking after things in general. Might work a part of next summer. No children. Inquire at this office.

When making your resolutions don't forget your subscription.

Agricultural Society Meets.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Raymond Agricultural Society was held last Thursday evening at the Opera House, with President T. W. Harris in the chair, and Sec.-Treas. Holt taking account of the proceedings.

The first item of business was the reading of the financial report of the secretary-treasurer, which was accepted.

The meeting was then open for nomination for officers. Messrs T. O. King, John Powelson, and T. W. Harris were nominated for President. Mr. Harris was urged very strongly upon to accept the position, but on account of pressing business engagements for the next year, he felt that it would be impossible for him to accept. When a standing vote was called for, Mr. T. O. King was elected president for the year 1912.

The others were elected by acclamation: John Powelson, for first vice-president, Mark H. Brimhall, for second vice-president, and E. F. T. Holt, for secretary-treasurer.

The following were chosen as directors of the various classes: Horses, Wm. Meeks; cattle, Mark V. Croxall; sheep and swine, H. Holmes; poultry, W. C. Stone and Jas. S. Anderson; grains and grasses, J. G. Allred and T. W. Harris; vegetables, Henry Salmon and Chas. Salmon; and fruit, Mrs. Amy Allen; mercantile, T. J. O'Brien and A. F. McDuffee; education, Geo. T. Walker; sports, J. F. Anderson and R. A. Gilles; J. W. Evans and Geo. H. Budd were elected as auditors for the year 1912, and F. T. Holt as delegate to the Fair Association.

Processes of Manufacturing Wood Pulp.

Three processes were used to manufacture into woodpulp the six hundred thousand cords of pulpwood used in 1910. There are the mechanical or grinding process and the two chemical processes, which depend upon the use of sulphite and soda. Statistics supplied by the forestry branch of the Department of the Interior show that the wood used by the mechanical process formed over three-quarters of the total during 1910, a greater percentage than at any time in the past. Unlimited supply of clean water is a necessity in the manufacture of wood by the mechanical process so that Quebec is the province best adapted for it. Spruce furnished over four-fifths of the wood used for mechanical pulp. Balsam contributed one-sixteenth with small quantities of hemlock and poplar making up the balance. The sulphite process accounted for one fifth of the pulp wood and was used slightly more in Ontario than in Quebec.

Nearly seventy percent of the wood used in this process, with spruce, mostly from Ontario. Balsam furnished thirty percent, about three-quarters of which was from Quebec and the same province used a small quantity of poplar in this process. Barely two percent of the total amount of pulpwood was manufactured by the soda process, although Canada has the distinction of having the oldest soda mill in America. Quebec manufactured over three-quarters of the pulp made by the soda process. This process was the principal method used in the reduction of hemlock. Of the total used by the soda process formed seventy percent hemlock, seventeen percent, and poplar ten percent. Balsam is not adapted to the soda treatment,

Elder Carter Not Asleep.

Jacksonville, Illinois,

Dec. 11, 1911

Editor of The Raymond Leader and Raymond friends:

It is with pleasure I take pen in hand for the purpose of answering, as one of the missionaries, to the late inquiry of "The Leader" as to "What has become of our missionaries?"

This one has neither been dead nor sleeping, as you have had cause to suppose, but has been about the business of a Mormon Elder and so deeply interested in the work of Salvation that he has rejected many good opportunities to drop a line and try in a weak way to show his appreciation for the many favors that are constantly being directed his way, by the friends who are still cherished above those who the Gospel has made dear to his heart.

I rejoice in the work and am very pleased to think I have had the privilege of laboring in the State that is so prominent in Church History. I find such a radical change has taken place for the better, that one would hardly recognize it as the same place that the Prophet and Patriarch of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints laid down their lives to fill the wicked demands of a ruthless mob only sixty-seven years ago.

While among some of the older residences some prejudice remains, yet among the younger, the spirit of the Prophet still the most of it has its origin in the present day. I find only a few of the older people remain, and among them you find, along with the bias, broad-minded people who have been more with the fair minded spirit and they say, "Surely he was a great man," speaking of the Prophet Joseph Smith. Another speaking of President Brigham Young said, "He was the greatest orator I have ever heard and I would that I could hear him some more." This happened in Quincy Ills. last winter and it causes me to rejoice in the fact that there are still some fair people who are willing to give honor where honor is due.

We have been successful in placing the Gospel before many people and among them are the honest in heart true to conviction who have seen the necessity of complying with the essential ordinances of the Gospel and becoming affiliated with the true church. In Quincy we have a small branch of the Church and among those good people are to be found good men, pieces as it were, who, like Paul, are not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ and they try to live it and as a result are as shining lights in darkness.

Jacksonville is a city of 20,000 people and during our past month's work we have learned that it has many good inhabitants in it and beyond doubt, the harvest before spring will be a number of good honest souls and possibly we will organize a branch of the Church here.

As a closing remark I would say that it is pleasing to note the progress of Raymond in various ways as I am privileged to read of through the lines of "The Leader." Success to both.

I trust Providence will continue to smile on you all.

I am your Brother in Christ A. Edwin Carter.

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ALTA.

Knight Academy

Notes.

The Academy closed yesterday for the holidays. Work will be resumed on January 3rd next.

For a week now pre-holiday examinations have been held in the several departments.

On Monday the Juniors appeared in chapel in their class attire, and they presented a beautiful and imposing sight.

The Seniors have provided themselves with a red class cap and a badge, and from the way they strut about the hallways a person would think that they owned the Academy.

What with the pre-holiday examinations and class gatherings, the past week has been the busiest of the entire school year.

The domestic science department entertained the faculty on Wednesday with a dainty spread, the first of the kind served by the department.

Why a real tag tied to every student? O, that's the Seniors' way of advertising their class party. The tag reads: "Tag me to the Seniors' Ball Tuesday, December 19th at the Knight Academy Gym."

On Monday at a faculty meeting the following challenge was received: "To the faculty—We, the Sophomores, hereby challenge the Faculty to meet in a Basket Ball Game next Thursday." The faculty decided to accept the challenge, and the game was played on Thursday.

A splendid class of boys have registered for the mid-winter course.

A sharp inter-class rivalry has developed within the last few days, but in the main, good-cheer has prevailed throughout.

From every quarter word comes of prospective students after the holidays. The enrollment will be very substantially increased.

Instructor Woolf left for Utah yesterday to spend the holiday season. He will be gone for about ten days.

The faculty will, with few exceptions, spend the holiday vacation in and around Raymond. They will rest up from the very strenuous work of the last four months.

Viola Bramwell, preparatory, gave a reading in chapel on Monday last, the first of a series to be furnished by the students of the department of elocution.

The concert of Saturday evening last was a splendid success, artistically considered, but it was poorly attended.

The Seniors worked like Trojans to make their class party the best of the season. The decorations were profuse and artistic.

At student-body meeting on Thursday a suitable program was rendered for the approaching holidays. Our students certainly know how to give programs.



Xmas is coming. Now is the time to get your order in for a Turkey, Duck, or Chicken. Order early and you will not be disappointed at the last moment when the rush is on.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of The Irrigation Act, the undersigned has filed the necessary memorials and plans required by Sections 13 and 15 of the said Act with the Commissioner of Irrigation, at Calgary, Alberta.

The applicant applies for the right to divert sufficient water per second from Pritchard Coulee on the South-east quarter of section 4, township 1, range 11, west of the 4th meridian, for irrigation purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works as shown by the memorial and plans filed to enable the water to be diverted to be used for the said irrigation purposes on the South-east and North-east quarters of said section 4.

The South-west quarter of section 3 in the said township and range is affected by right of way for the proposed works.

Dated at Canby, Alta, this 4th day of May, 1911.

(Signed)
Alfred Gillman,
Applicant.

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